

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CULTURE  
**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-3861**  
ANSWERED ON- 06/04/2023

**SANCTIONED STRENGTH AND VACANCIES**

3861: SHRI A.A. Rahim:

Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:-

- (a) the sanctioned strength and the number of vacancies in the Ministry of Culture and its attached and subordinate offices; and
- (b) the number of new posts which have been created in the Ministry of Culture and its attached and subordinate offices during the last five years, year-wise?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF CULTURE, TOURSIM AND DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION

(SHRI G. KISHAN REDDY)

- (a) The Sanctioned Strength and the number of Vacancies in the Ministry of Culture and its attached and subordinate offices is as under :-

S.No.	Name of the Organizations	Sanctioned Strength	Vacancies
1	Ministry of Culture ( <u>Secretariat</u> )	294*	97
<b>Attached Offices</b>			
2	Archaeological Survey of India	8778	3290
3	National Archives of India	454	225
<b>Subordinate Offices</b>			
4	National Museum	201	102
5	National Gallery of Modern Art	139	88
6	National Library	453	141
7	Central Reference Library	69	24
8	Anthropological Survey of India	359	130
9	National Research Laboratory for Conservation of Cultural Property	103	72
	Total	10,850	4,169

\* In addition to the 294 Sanctioned Strength, 5 Officers for handling the work related to Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav (AKAM) and 3 Officers for handling the work of G 20 related matters have been temporarily posted in this Ministry (Secretariat).

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(b) During the last five years, the number of new posts created in the Ministry of Culture and its attached and subordinate offices are as under:

S.No.	Name of the Organization	Number of Posts Created	Year of Creation
1.	Ministry of Culture (Secretariat)	Nil	-
2.	Archaeological Survey of India	<b>758</b>	<b>2021</b>
3.	National Archives of India	Nil	-
4.	National Museum	<b>27</b>	<b>2021</b>
5.	National Gallery of Modern Art	Nil	-
6.	National Library	Nil	-
7.	Central Reference Library	Nil	-
8.	Anthropological Survey of India	Nil	-
9.	National Research Laboratory for Conservation of Cultural Property	Nil	-

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